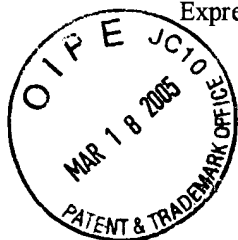


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MANGANESE**

Examiner: Langel, W.
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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:
 - ☒ A Response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment including the corrected "Amendments to the claims" section.
2. Entity Status
 - ☒ Large Entity is proper for this case.
3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:
An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if necessary for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.
4. Provisional Fee Authorization
Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosure to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

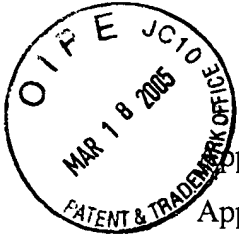
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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 7, 2005 in the above-identified application, enclosed is the entire "Amendments to the claims" section of amendment showing the complete listing of the claims.

No fees are believed due with this communication. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any deficiency in fees herein to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.